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The twenty-seventh volume of the Southern Historical Society Papers (Richmond, Va., 1899.) contains 387 pages of exceedingly interesting matter pertaining to the great War for Southern Independence. Most of the papers have been recently prepared, but among the original documents is the valuable and interesting diary of Capt. James M. Garnett, ordnance officer of Rodes's division of the 2nd corps, Army of Northern Virginia. Capt. Gordon McCable tells the truth about Barbara Frietchie, "ninety-six years old and bedridden," and tries to stem the tide of error that Whittier started, and the recent New York fad has augmented. The character and religious opinions of Abraham Lincoln are ably discussed in two papers by Dr. C. L. C. Minor, of Baltimore, and should prove quite a bomb in the camp of the worshippers of Lincoln . Col. Brock is doing a great work in collecting and publishing these collections of papers concerning the greatest struggle for constitutional rights ever waged.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

Michael Schlatter Memorial

Addresses at the Sesqui-Centennial Services held in Hagerstown, Md., by the Synod of the Potomac, October 20, A. D. 1897, in Honor of the Pioneer Organizer of Reformed Churches in America. Prepared for the occasion by Rev. Cyrus Cart, D. D., General John E. Roller and Rev. E. R. Eschbach, D. D., and published by request of the Synod, January, 1900. Reading, Pa : Daniel Miller, Printer. 8 vo. pp. 61. Presented by Gen. John E. Roller.

The Life of Seymour.

A biography by Miss Blandina D. Miller read before the Oneida Historical Society of Utica, N. Y. 8 vo. pp. 2. Presented by Gen. C. W. Darling.

Wagner Memorial.

8 vo. pp. 16. Presented by Gen. C. W. Darling.

The Siouan Tribes of the East.

By James Mooney. Washington, Government Printing Office, 1894. 8 vo. pp. 101. Presented by Mr. James Mooney of the Bureau of American Ethnology.

The End of the Natchez.

By James Mooney. (From the American Anthropologist, Vol. I, July, 1899) New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons. Presented by Mr. James Mooney.

A Description of the State-House, Philadelphia, in 1774.

By John W. Jordan. (Reprinted from the Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, January, 1900.) Philadelphia. 1900. 8 vo. pp. 5. Presented by Mr. John W. Jordan.

The Collection of History.

8 vo. pp. 6. From the Kansas State Historical Society.

Proceedings of the Twenty-Fourth Annual Meeting of the Kansas State Historical Society, Topeka, January 16, 1900. Topeka: N. Y. Morgan, State Printer. 1900. 8 vo. pp. 48. From Kansas State Historical Society.

The Roanoke Colony Memorial Association. Articles of Incorporation, By-Laws and other matter. 1899. 12 mo. pp. 7. Presented by Maj. Graham Daves, New Bern, N. C.

Minutes of the Ninth Annual Meeting, address of the president and report of the secretary of the West Virginia Historical and Antiquarian Society for 1899. Do. for 1900. Both from the Society. Bulletin of the Library of the Department of State—January 1, 1899, to June 30, 1899. Public Document from State Department Library. Seventeenth annual report of the Executive Committee of the Indian Rights Association, for 1899. 8 vo. pp. 91. From the Association.

College of Charleston Magazine, February, 1900. Vol. 3, No. 5.

Proceedings of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin at its Forty-Seventh Annual Meeting, held Dec. 14, 1899 and of the State Historical Convention held at Green Bay, September 5-7, 1899.

Genealogical chart of the Gibbes Family of South Carolina. Prepared by Rev. Robert Wilson, D. D. Presented by the compiler.

NOTES AND QUERIES.

Notes.

A PARTIAL LIST OF SOUTH CAROLINA OFFICERS OF THE CONTINENTAL ARMY.

[An examination of the documents in the War Department, at Washington, D. C., made many years ago, developed much interesting and valuable data relating to the Continental Army. From two of the reports prepared, the following lists of South Carolina officers have been extracted. These lists do not contain the names of *all* the officers who served during the struggle for independence, but only those developed in the documents on file at Washington. In recent years additional data has been found.—JOHN W. JORDAN. [1]]

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[1] Historical Society of Pennsylvania.
Philadelphia,
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MR. A. S. SALLEY, JR.
S. C. Historical Society
Charleston
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The first issue of your Historical & Genealg. Magazine has reached me, and it gives me pleasure to congratulate you on its attractive appearance and the valuable matter it contains. I wish you every success. and believe that this new enterprise will receive it, and also add to the general prosperity of your Society.

I send the enclosed MS. (the original in our collection) for "Notes and Queries."

Very truly yours,

JOHN W. JORDAN,
Ed. Penna Mag.